



Men

Men's breakfast held each Tuesday morning at 7:00 at Westside Café. Come join in the Fellowship.

Ladies' Bible Class

Tuesdays in the fellowship area 9:30 a.m. We are studying the book of Proverbs. Study sheets are in a box in the foyer labeled "Ladies' Bible Class". (It is on the table under the security monitor.)

Mission Work Session

Every Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the fellowship area.



Children's Home of Lubbock Big Heart campaign.

We will be collecting kids' 2-in-1 shampoo. The collection date is June 15th. There is a box in the foyer to put your items in.



We are in need of teachers for Sunday Mornings and Wednesday evenings for the summer quarter. (June, July & August) Please see Geneva McCoy or Beth Moore if you would be able to help.

Ted Talks...

My personal feelings about our singing praises to God were touched upon Sunday, 4/25/21 in the assembly at WFCOC and the words spoken so often in the 50's -60's - and 70's were brought back to my heart by Brother Chris Graham. Many people in our world might say "this has nothing to do with salvation", but it has so much to do with our worship to God, which is all about salvation.

I challenge all to listen again to Chris' personal testimony of his beliefs, with scripture backing that takes away guesswork. The scripture writers, led by the Spirit, tell us all that we need to be approved of God. Chris made this easy by providing the words from God's Word.

I was, pretty much, taught the same principles, but not always given a reason other than that's the way Granddaddy did it. The method of getting me to understand was different, but the result is the same. Chris has studied the scriptures, extensively, on this matter and has caused me to go to the Word to study, not just read.

Knowing Chris, as well as I feel I do, I believe that if you have any concerns or need more information about what was preached that day, he would be glad to share with you.

The song, "Standing on the Promises" comes to mind, and the promises are all about our salvation.

Circle of Influence

Workshop designed to help the church grow by learning to develop prospects from those we already know.

Work Schedule

May 16: Sunday Bible Class "The Power of Your Influence"

Sunday Lesson: "How is Your Judgement?"

Sunday Evening: "How Is Your Hearing"

May 17: Monday 7:00 p.m. "Living by Giving"

May 18: Tuesday 7:00 p.m. "Ministers of Grace"

May 19: Wednesday 7:00 p.m. "Mountain-Moving Faith"

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Our heartbeat (4/25/21)
Bible Class: 63
AM Worship: 116
PM: 17
Wednesday: NC
Contribution: \$7,338.00
Weekly Budget: \$9,666.00
Difference: -\$2,328.00
Average: \$9,332.37
Benevolence: \$97.00

Praying without ceasing...

Love and sympathy to the **Conley** family on the loss **Jerry Conley**. Services are pending.

Katie Hargrove fell and sprained, or broke, her ankle. The swelling was too much for them to get a good X-Ray.

Margaret Hamilton underwent surgery for blockages in her legs. She will have the other one in a couple of weeks.

Carmiel Aldred went home from the hospital. She is doing much better. They appreciate all of your thoughts, calls and prayers.

Kenneth Garner- Please keep him in your prayers. Address for encouraging notes: Kenneth Garner 1539832; 9055 Spur 591 Amarillo, TX 79107.

Other Members in need of Prayer:

Tom Cain, Bob Durko, Charles and Frances Hallmark, Jack Jackson, Jed Jennings, Diana Richardson, Ellie Wherry.

Family Members:

Scotty Kasterke, Dwain Kasterke's cousin, has been diagnosed with cancer.

Paula Teel's brother **Doyle VanWinkle** is in the hospital in Temple. His daughter said he does not want any more chemo, and he will have palliative care.

Mindy Miller, Diana Cain's niece, is in kidney failure. She will be having testing done and be starting dialysis. She will be put on the kidney transplant list.

Teresa Hampton, Lisa Wilson's sister-in-law, plans to go forward with the Whipple procedure. They will remove the bile duct, gallbladder, and a small bowel along with a portion of the stomach and lymph nodes.

Jeannine Stanford, family friend of **Jeannie Jennings** is having serious health issues and requests prayers.

There will be a memorial service for **Kenton Harvey** on May 8th at Aledo Church of Christ at 2:00 p.m.

Family Members in need of prayer: Melanie Barrett, Doyle VanWinkle.

If you would like to send **Tristan** a card or letter of encouragement this is his address. He placed membership here a little over a year ago.

SPF Peterson, Tristan
OPS CO 36 ID
APO AE 09306.

Memorial Service for Joyce Burks:
May 8th at 10:00 A.M. at Aledo Brown Cemetery, 1200 FM 1187.

Hidden Toxin

The Associated Press reported on April 26, 2021, that as many as 25,000 barrels that may contain DDT have been found off the California coast near Catalina Island. From World War II through 1972 industrial companies in Southern California were able to legally use the ocean as a dumping ground. But until 1972, the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act, also known as the Ocean Dumping Act, became law. The story about a deadly poison released into the environment was upsetting, but there may be two spiritual parallels.

"Be sure your sins will find you out." (Numbers 32:23) As each of those barrels splashed into the ocean, surely the dumpers thought they were gone forever. They weren't. The salt water began consuming the metals in those barrels the moment they entered the sea. Discovery was inevitable. Secrets in this life are temporary. "...all things are open and laid bare to the eyes of Him to whom we must answer." (Hebrews 4:12) The only way to be sure that sins will be "remembered no more" is to have them washed away in Jesus' blood. (Hebrews 8:12)

Legality is not morality. It may have been legal to release DDT into the ocean, but it wasn't right. So many things are acceptable to man (if only temporarily) that aren't acceptable to God. Man considers perjury a minor crime, but God hates a lying tongue (Proverbs 6:16-17). Lifestyles defined by the scriptures as sinful, but protected by mans' laws, are still sinful. Stopping the beating heart of an unborn child may be a woman's legal right, but that doesn't make it right.

Hidden poison under the sea is disturbing. Sin, though, is eternally toxic apart from the blood of Christ. Share His love this week.

Chris Graham

The Five Things God's Children Should Never Worry About

1. Introduction

1. We face unsettling times.
2. It causes many to worry.
3. God's Children should never fear or worry.

2. Notice some things that God's children should never worry or fear about.

Discussion: God's Children should never worry about--

I. Being Forsaken (Hebrews 13:5)

II. Feeling Useless (1 Corinthians 12:12-31)

III. The Future

- (1) Jerimiah 29:11
- (2) John 14:1-3

IV. Bothering God with Prayer

- (1) I Peter 5:7
- (2) I Thessalonians 5:17

V. Feeling Unforgiven (I John 1:9)

Conclusion

- 1 Our concerns should be placed in God's hands
2. As we sing in the song, "Jesus knows our every weakness. Take it to the Lord in prayer."
3. Psalm 42:5
4. "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

May 2, 2021

Welcome

Song Leader-Hugh Galyean

704-Bind Us Together
NIB-What the Lord Has Done in Me

Prayer Eric Branham

Scripture Reading Victor Jones Philippians 4:6

578-We Will Glorify
226-Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing
786-Precious Lord, Take My Hand
315-When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Lord's Supper and Contribution Ron Rutledge

635-Freely, Freely

Coins for Christ/Children's Time

Lesson- Ronnie Moore "Five Things God's Children Should Never Worry About"

619-A New Creature

Shepherd's Prayer Mike Tinius

Welcome Guests! We are honored that you have joined us today and hope that you will be blessed by your time with us in worship. The following are some helpful tips on making the most of your visit with us this morning.

Register-- Our guests, as well as members, are asked to register their attendance as the pads are passed down each pew.

Attended Nursery is available for children up to two and a half years of age in the west wing.

Bible Times is for older twos through third grade. Two's-K are in the east wing, and 1st-3rd are in the fellowship hall.

Quiet Bags for children are available at the welcome center. A cry room/training room is available outside the auditorium, down the west entrance hallway.

The Welcome Center has details about ministries, classes and more. It is in the main entrance outside the auditorium.

To access internet, connect to WestFreeway Guest. No password needed.

May 2, 2021

Assemblies:

Sunday

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| Bible Class | 9:30 a.m. |
| Worship | 10:30 a.m. |
| Evening/Singing | 5:00 p.m. |

Communion will be offered at each Sunday meeting.

Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

Family Minister

Brandon Kaag
469.658.6229

Outreach/ Adult Education Minister

Chris Graham

Elders

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| James Herring | 817.246.1711 |
| Victor Jones | 817.584.1300 |
| Ronnie Moore | 817.821.4991 |
| John Robertson | 817.343.7586 |
| Mike Tinius | 817.657.1431 |

Elder of the month: Victor Jones

West Freeway Church of Christ

A place you and your family can call home!

Why Worry?

I know that times are very tough and stressful for many. The issues of the day keep many stressed, depressed, and concerned. To God's child it should not have to be this way.

Philippians 4:6-7 (NASV)

6 Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and pleading with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.
7 And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

I am so glad you are here today, and that you can find refuge during these troublesome times in worship and fellowship with God's people. Today we have a lesson that hopefully will help you to understand God's children should never have to worry. He is here for us and will not forsake us. Notice what the Psalmist says,

Psalm 42:5

Why are you in despair, my soul?
And why are you restless within me?
Wait for God, for I will again praise Him
For the help of His presence, my God.

Be reminded of the great Hymn,

What a friend we have in Jesus
All our sins and griefs to bear
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer
Oh, what peace we often forfeit
Oh, what needless pain we bear
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged
Take it to the Lord in prayer
Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness
Take it to the Lord in prayer

May God Bless you today.

Ronnie Moore